

Hi Alderson Families,

Yesterday we had our **Volleyball Tournament**. Thanks so much to Ms. Caspar for organizing this valued tradition again this year, and to Ms. Lau and Ms. Kennedy who coached our team. A big thanks also to the former Alderson students who came back to be referees for us!! Thanks also to our PAC who organized and ran the concession stand—proceeds from this go to various special events at Alderson. Our players represented us well and everyone had a great time.

Yesterday we also had a special Assembly put on by the **Planet Protectors** called Zero Heros. Our students enjoyed this assembly very much and were very excited that they are now all Planet Protectors!! You can continue this conversation with them at home by helping them understand why reducing the materials headed for the landfill is so important. You can find out more about the Planet Protectors here: <https://planetprotectoracademy.com/>

It is hard to believe that it is already December!! Please make sure you know what is happening this month so that you don't miss out. Some of the highlights:

Winter Concert—Tuesday, December 19 @ 2:00

Report Cards will be published to the MyEd Family Portal on December 20, 2023. Please check ahead that you remember your password and email us if you need assistance to access it. **Please remember that your username is 43-{the email you have on file with us}**

Pancake Breakfast—Friday, December 22 @ 9:00 (please remember that there is no Breakfast Program before school on this day. Please understand that we will not have space for parents to join us for this special event. If you would like to be there please volunteer to help by emailing our PAC: aldersonschoolpac@gmail.com

Inside this issue

- Alderson News
- Upcoming Events
- Kindergarten Info Session
- PAC Information
- Hot Lunch ordering
- Recycling Fundraiser
- Vancouver Warriors Lacrosse Ticket offer
- PMSS Concert Invite

[Daily Health Check](#)

Please keep your child home if they are ill and unable to participate fully in routine activities.

Upcoming Events....

Tuesday, December 19	Winter Concert @ 2:00 PM
Wednesday, December 20	Report Cards are Published to the MyEd Family Portal
Friday, December 22	Pancake Breakfast @ 9:00 (No breakfast program before school on this day)
	Last day of school prior to winter break
December 23 — January 7	Winter Break (Schools are closed)
Monday, January 8	School reopens following winter break
Monday, January 22	PAC meeting @ 6:00 on Teams
Monday, January 29	Professional Development Day (school is closed for students)

School Calendar

There is an overview of the main school dates for the year on our website. Please visit our school website to download a copy. Direct Link: [Alderson Calendar and Bell Schedule 2023-24](#)

Please also check our ecalendar for a complete list of future dates:

www.sd43.bc.ca/school/alderson/Calendar

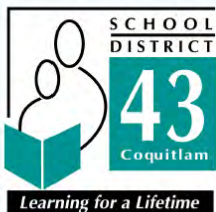


You're invited to learn more about Kindergarten for September 2024

Hear all about Kindergarten and Kindergarten Programs of Choice:

- Reggio Emilia
- Montessori
- French Immersion
- Mandarin Bilingual

*Note: this session does not cover the registration process



Tuesday, November 28, 6:30pm-8:00pm

SD43 Education Learning Centre, 1080 Winslow Ave., Coquitlam

www.sd43.bc.ca

Alderson PAC

All parents in our community are automatically members of the PAC (Parent advisory council).

PAC Meeting
Monday, January 22
6:00 online (Teams)

If you would like a link to join the meeting on Teams please email aldersonschoolpac@gmail.com and a link will be sent to you.

Also, be sure to follow our Alderson PAC Facebook page so you are informed about PAC initiatives: <https://www.facebook.com/AldersonElementary/>



Hot Lunch

You can order for the PAC Hot Lunches here:

[Click Here](#)

We are always looking for volunteers to help with hot lunches, if you are available, please let them know through Munchalunch, or email the PAC: aldersonschoolpac@gmail.com

A big thanks to our PAC for running this hot lunch program. Happy ordering!

Orders are due by:

- Friday, December 1st at 7pm for Hot Dogs
- Thursday, December 14th at 10am for Pizza Pizza
- Thursday, January 11th at 10am for White Spot
- Wednesday, January 24th at 11pm for Subway
- Friday, February 9th at 11pm for Hot Dogs
- Thursday, February 22nd at 10am for Pizza Pizza
- Thursday, March 7th at 10am for Red Robin

Please note - we CANNOT accept late orders as we have to submit to our suppliers. Thank you for supporting our school!!

If you need help ordering, please email us at: aldersonschoolpac@gmail.com.

If you would like your child to participate in this but do not have the funds to do so at this time please email sdryer@sd43.bc.ca

Refundable Recycling

Division 2 is working on fundraising by processing the refundable recycling for our school. If you would like to contribute to their efforts you can donate your refundables by dropping them off at a local return-it depot.

Locations: <https://www.return-it.ca/locations/express/>

Simply put all your donations into a blue recycling bag, go to the express kiosk and enter the school account phone number:

777 888-7788

The money they raise will be used to donate to a charity and for a year-end celebration.

STICK TO SCHOOL

EXPERIENCE
THE BEST SHOW IN TOWN
WITH OUR EXCLUSIVE
BUY ONE \$20 ADULT TICKET,
GET ONE KIDS TICKET FREE OFFER!

SCAN TO REDEEM

VANCOUVER WARRIORS

Take care,

Anita Strang

Principal,
Alderson Elementary
www.sd43.bc.ca/school/alderson
astrang@sd43.bc.ca
(604) 939-8301

PMSS MUSIC DEPARTMENT PRESENTS:

Disney

magic in concert

WITH GUEST APPEARANCE FROM:
PORT MOODY BLUE THUNDER

DEC 5

7 - 8:30PM

HERITAGE WOODS
THEATRE
1300 DAVID AVE

\$5 - ADULTS
\$2 - KIDS/STUDENTS

HAZEL TREMBATH
FAMILIES - FREE
ADMISSION

FEATURING TUNES FROM:

FROZEN

Beauty
and the
Beast



THE INCREDIBLES

